C. B. That the western shore Treasurer pay to Patrick Hannan one hundred and eight pounds and ten pence per Account passed

That the said Treasurer pay to Michael Foy twenty three pounds fifteen shillings and eight pence per Account passed.

C. C.

## [Council to N. Smith.]

In Council 3d Octr 1777.

Sir.

Andrew Buchanan Esq<sup>r</sup> Lieu<sup>t</sup> of Baltimore County may, probably require the Assistance of the Matrosses under your Command, to suppress an Insurrection in the upper Part of that County. If required, you are to give him all the Aid in your Power, or what he may think necessary

We are Sir &c2

To Majr Nath! Smith.

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## [Council to F. Ware.]

In Council Annapolis 3d Octr 1777.

Sir.

It is quite uncertain whether it may not be necessary to keep up a Body of our Militia at Camp and the Time of those who are now there being nearly expired we request you will immediately order the first and second Class of the Militia of your County to march. They will do well to take each of them a Blankett, we have none with which we can supply them; and, such as can, a Gun. The Arms, Tents, Camp Kettles and Accourrements in the Use of those at Camp, will be put into the Hands of those who are to supply their Place but probably, as is too common, some of the Arms may be carried away and others abused, so as not to be immediately serviceable. Through Baltimore Town will be the best Rout and we shall be glad that an Officer from each Company should come to us here, by the Time the Militia get to Marlbro. We wish all Expedition to be used as, eventually, it may be necessary to form a large Body of Militia, or what is indeed to be wished our Affairs may be in such a Situation as We are &ca to allow us to dismiss them on the Way.

Francis Ware Esq<sup>r</sup> L<sup>t</sup> of Charles County

[Council to A. Hall.]

In Council Annapolis 3<sup>d</sup> Octr 1777.

Sir.

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By a Letter of yesterday Evening from General Buchanan, we are advised that a Number of People are collected in Bal-